

## TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

## THE COUNTY FAIR

## Campaign Inaugurated to Put the Greater Fair on a Solid Basis

Delegations from the Young Men's Business League, Rotary Club, Kiwanis Club and Chamber of Commerce met at the Chamber of Commerce this morning and decided to make a thorough canvass for the County Fair Association.

The town was divided up and the following assigned to the different wards: Young Men's Business League will canvass Ward 1, Rotary Club Ward 2, Kiwanis Club Ward 3 and the Chamber of Commerce and fair directors Ward 4. This campaign will have to be wound up if we are to have a county fair commensurate with the Sumter spirit.

Work should already have been begun on the moving of the buildings, and erection of barns, but nothing can be done until the funds have been assured. No man has ever lost a dollar in the present county fair and there is no reason why the larger fair with an athletic field and proper equipment should not be even a better paying investment.

J. Frank Williams, Secretary of Meeting.

## Rotary Club Meeting.

Mr. Whitehead Klutz, of Salisbury, N. C., field worker of the Community Service, addressed the weekly meeting of the Sumter Rotary Club at the Claremont Hotel Monday. He discussed the work that the organization is doing for the betterment of community life and the improvement of the physical and moral condition of the whole people of the country. Mr. Klutz is an enthusiastic proponent of the plan of community welfare and a most earnest and eloquent speaker. His presentation of the subject was received with applause.

George D. Shore brought up the subject of the county fair and stressed the necessity of the business men of Sumter giving it the most liberal support possible. L. D. Jennings was asked to state the present status of county fair campaign for a bigger and better fair and he did so briefly, concluding by announcing that a meeting would be held Tuesday morning to take definite action—either to go forward with the plans or abandon the undertaking for the present year. A committee of the club was appointed to attend the meeting and to cooperate with the county fair officials.

The meeting was the most largely attended of recent weeks and the club is rapidly working toward the desired 100 per cent attendance.

The programmes announced for the next three months are attractive and will insure a full attendance of members.

**Stoudenmire-White.** On Friday afternoon, September 15, Miss Mae Stoudenmire and Mr. William White, both of Sumter, were happily married at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. J. W. Daniels in the presence of the immediate families.

Miss Stoudenmire is a girl of sterling character and Mr. White is to be congratulated on winning her for a companion.

**Paxville Items.**

Paxville, Sept. 13.—The Women's Christian Temperance Union held a "Mothers' Meeting" at the home of the president, Mrs. F. S. Geddings on Tuesday afternoon with a good attendance of mothers. A very interesting program had been prepared and it was enjoyed and appreciated. Three names were added to the W. C. T. U. membership.

The feature of the business session was the election of officers for another year and resulted as follows:

President, Mrs. F. S. Geddings. Vice-President, Miss Daisy Rhame.

Recording and Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Henry Curtis.

Treasurer, Mrs. T. W. Gunter. The following superintendents of departments were chosen: Flower Mission, Mrs. M. B. Corbett; Citizenship, Mrs. L. C. Ridgill; Medical Contest, Mrs. Henry McLeod; Child Welfare, Mrs. R. T. Touchberry.

Mrs. J. W. Mims, Jr., and children have returned after a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. B. Ferguson, at Sharon.

Mrs. Luke Ridgill spent the weekend in Sumter visiting relatives.

Mrs. H. S. Boyd of Lamar has returned home after a few days' visit with friends and relatives.

Miss Pearl Broadway left last week to begin her teaching duties at Green Sea.

Mr. T. R. Owen has moved his family to Walterboro where they will make their home. He has lumber interests nearby.

Mrs. Minnie Plexico Ambrose and children of Georgetown have been visiting at the home of Mr. J. W. Mims, Jr.

Miss Lucile Geddings left Tuesday to resume her studies at Columbia College.

Miss Emma Brown went to Charleston on Sunday where she will attend the Meuninger High school this session.

Miss Florence Felder is at home from Kershaw for a short vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Broadway visited relatives at Chesterfield last week.

Faint heart never won fair lady, but faint light has.

## Mayesville News Notes.

Mayesville, Sept. 19.—Cotton picking, if the weather keeps fair, will last only a very few days longer. The gins have not been crowded at all this season. One could keep up with the cotton and then not keep too busy.

Mr. Claude E. Wingate, law student at Columbia, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wingate.

Friday afternoon, September 22, the Baptist church will serve a barbecue at the old Mazursky store on Depot street. Everybody from Sumter, Lynchburg, Elliott and St. Charles are invited. We cannot make the invitation too cordial to be here Friday afternoon from 6:30 o'clock until the tables are cleared. This is served for the Baptist church to raise money to carpet same and all who attend will help a good cause.

## Hot Supper at Zoar.

On the night of October 5th there will be held at Britton's Store in Concord township a "Better Acquaintance Meet" and celebration of the completion of the first section of the Manning-Sumter hard surface road.

Appropriate exercises will be held and a good speaker will be selected for this occasion. But the main feature of the occasion will be the delicious hot supper to be served by the ladies of Zoar Methodist church. Everybody or at least one thousand of everybody who attended the last hot supper served by these hospitable ladies at Britton's store a few weeks ago know what kind of suppers these ladies serve.

The Sumter Chamber of Commerce was visited by a committee of Zoar neighborhood ladies Wednesday and the publicity artist of that organization was ordered to get busy writing up this October 5th celebration and hot supper, and inviting everybody to be there, married and single, and he just said "Yes Mam," and got busy.

Riding over Sumter county's smooth and hard surfaced highways is a great luxury these days.

Zoar neighborhood and Concord township are going to celebrate October the 5th, and they want everybody to be there. Of course the ladies are going to be the general managers of this celebration but that makes no difference because all Sumter married men are accustomed to being skirt-bossed and like it, and the single men or old bachelors are anxious to get so they will have a female boss.

**A Delightful Surprise.**

It is true that many of life's happiest experiences come to us by surprise. And so it was on Wednesday evening when the pastor of the Salem Baptist church, Rev. E. W. Reynolds, and his wife returned home, and on entering the house were met with a very delightful surprise in the persons of twenty-one ladies of the church composing the Ladies' Aid Society.

who, without hint or halting, had slipped in and taken charge of the premises to the extent that when the pastor and his wife were escorted into the dining room there another surprise met them in the nature of an abundant feast of good things which veritably weighed down the table, all of which was presented to the pastor and his wife as a token of cheerful remembrance and to which they, with the ladies present, addressed their undivided attention to the extent that everyone was filled. At this juncture Mrs. Alva Burkett got the attention of the assembly and in very endearing words presented to Rev. and Mrs. Reynolds beautiful presents as tokens of the love and esteem in which they were held. To the pastor was presented a handsome Masonic emblem, and to his wife a beautiful cameo pin. In very affectionate words Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds gave response. After an hour spent in delightful social intercourse this very happy occasion came to a close leaving in its wake the hearts of the recipients of such delightful evidence of love and confidence burning with the fires of returned affection.

Rev. E. W. Reynolds, who has been pastor of the Salem Baptist church for the past five years and more, retires the first of October to take up work in another field, and surely the prayers and love that will follow him and his good wife as he is evidenced by such an occasion as this, will be sources of inspiration and encouragement.

**TURKS EAGER FOR FURTHER CONQUEST**

Allied Powers Arrange Conference in Effort to Prevent Further Fighting

London, Sept. 21.—While the allied powers were feverishly endeavoring to arrange a peace conference to clean the slate between Turkey and Greece and prevent more fighting in the Near East, rumors of impending hostilities continue to come from Constantinople. In the Dardanelles a relatively small force of British troops are holding Chanak, the key to the southern shore straits. The Turks are eager for further conquest and are concentrated outside the neutral zone, impatiently awaiting word from Pasha to advance.

A few minutes after ten o'clock this morning the fire department was called to the home of Mr. H. D. Strother at 165 Magnolia street. The fire was extinguished by the chemical and did little damage.

## CITY COUNCIL MEETING

## Executions For City Taxes to Be Withdrawn From Sheriff and Served by Chief of Police

A called meeting of council was held in the council chamber on Tuesday night, there being present Mayor Jennings and Councilmen Raffield and McLeod. The minutes of the regular meeting of August 22nd and read and approved.

Returns were received from the managers of the bond election held on September 12th, 1922, whereby it appeared that six hundred and twenty-six (626) ballots were cast at said election of which five hundred and twenty-nine (529) were in favor of the issue, and ninety-seven (97) were against such issue. The clerk was directed to have prepared an ordinance declaring the result of said election and authorizing the issuing and sale of bonds.

The following ordinance was introduced and given its first reading:

"An ordinance to declare the result of an election to determine whether or not the city of Sumter shall issue bonds not exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand (\$250,000) dollars for the sole purpose of paying the expenses and liabilities incurred in the improvements of streets and sidewalks when the abutting property owners are being assessed for two-thirds of the cost thereof, and to authorize the issuance of two hundred and fifty thousand (\$250,000) dollars in bonds for the sole purpose of paying the expenses and liabilities incurred in the improvements of streets and sidewalks when the abutting property owners are being assessed for two-thirds of the cost thereof, and to provide a sinking fund therefor."

The above ordinance received its first reading, and the "ayes" and "noes" being called for on the question of whether or not the same should pass to its second reading, the vote was as follows:

L. D. Jennings, yes.

J. A. Raffield, yes.

R. L. McLeod, yes.

Reports from the city physician, Civic League nurse and police department for the month of August were read by the clerk and received by council as information.

A letter from the Chamber of Commerce dated September 19th, suggesting the placing of white way lights at the intersection of Harvin and East Liberty streets, and Sumter and West Liberty streets, was received and read to council by the clerk, and after discussion it was decided that these lights would not be placed for the present.

In reference to tax executions, a letter was received from Mr. R. D. Epps, acting City Attorney, in compliance with a request from Mayor Jennings, in which he stated that the only law he could find bearing upon the subject was in section 2933 of Vol. 1 of the civil code which provides that the execution to enforce the payment of municipal taxes shall be issued under the seal of the corporation by the clerk and directed to the chief of police or any other officer designated by the city or town council for that purpose, and all sales under such execution shall take place in front of the city hall or other public place designated by ordinance in such city or town, and that he had followed this section in its amendments through the laws of 1922 and could find no amendment affecting the above provisions. After a discussion of the matter by Council, it was decided to withdraw all executions now in the hands of the county sheriff, turning them over to the chief of police of the city of Sumter who would be instructed to levy in accordance with law.

The matter of continuing fire insurance upon all passenger automobiles and trucks owned by the city was next discussed, and it was voted to continue such insurance in force. Mayor Jennings was opposed.

Council decided to waive a maintenance bond of Powell Paving Co. for the sidewalks on West Liberty street from Purdy street to the city limits, and instructed that the work be started as soon as possible.

The city manager was authorized to extend the pipe line in a ditch back of Ricker Lane for a distance of 200 feet, putting in the necessary bulkhead, etc.

Council authorized the sale of the Ford touring car now in use by the police department, and the purchase of a new Ford touring car to take its place, the proceeds from the sale of the old car to be applied on the purchase of the new car.

The resignation of C. L. Hutchinson from the police force was received and accepted, and Mr. P. Shookley was appointed to fill the vacancy, his appointment subject to the will of council.

As has been customary in the past when a new councilman is elected, positions of all city employees are automatically declared vacant, and upon motion of Councilman McLeod, seconded by Councilman Raffield, the present organization was re-elected, subject to the will of council.

In connection with the white way system now being installed on Main and Liberty streets, it was brought to the attention of council that merchants, firms and individuals who would be affected by the change in the lighting system were slow in making the necessary change in the wiring of their places of business, and the clerk was directed to write a letter to all parties at interest that such wiring must be done and completed by November 1st, 1922 in order to be prepared for the change.

After a discussion of other routine matters, council adjourned.

The sheet asphalt paving is being laid on the Camden road between the city limits and Shot Pond Branch.

## BLACK AND TAN REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

## Tolbert and His Followers Control Meeting in Columbia —Re-elected Chairman

Columbia, Sept. 19.—Featured by a veritable love feast for Joseph V. Tolbert, state chairman and national committeeman, harmonious sitting of the assemblage non-materialization of rumored candidacies for governor and congressman and the usual castigation of the "inefficiency and mismanagement" of the Democratic party the convention of the Union Republican party of South Carolina was held here today. Tolbert, Republican "Boss" and "Pap" dispenser, for South Carolina was the central figure of the attraction and it was conclusively demonstrated that he is in charge of his party, which re-elected him chairman of the executive committee for another period of four years. He said that he had the approval of the President and no appointments had been made by Harding other than those recommended by him.

Elected to assist him in handling the party for the next four years was R. H. Richardson, of Wedgefield, as vice chairman; Henderson H. Mobley of Columbia, as secretary and an executive committee composed of Major J. F. Jones, of Columbia, and J. C. Hardy, of Spartanburg, at large.

T. H. Pinckney, A. J. Clements and A. B. Seabrook, first congressional district; W. S. Dixon, J. M. Jones and W. A. Jackson, second district; James W. Tolbert, L. C. Waller and E. B. Church, third district; E. F. Thompson, B. J. Madden and J. A. Tolbert, fourth district; George Wades, A. C. Stewart and W. M. Goodwin, fifth district; E. J. Sawyer, T. J. McCarley and W. L. McFarland, sixth district; and M. J. Frederick, Jacob Mosier and S. J. Leapheart, seventh district.

## Want Tolbert Appointed

In addition, the party platform carried a commendation for Tolbert and a resolution was adopted calling on the judiciary committee of the United States Senate to report favorably on the nomination of Tolbert for United States district marshal of the Western Carolina district, made by President Harding some months ago and the confirmation of which has been bitterly fought by N. B. Dial, Senator from South Carolina. The Senate was likewise asked to confirm the appointment.

One of the real features of the convention was the large number of white delegates present, claimed by some to be 65 per cent of the personnel of the convention, which has 124 delegates to conform to the number of seats in the South Carolina House of Representatives the large number of white delegates was commented on enthusiastically by all the speakers who took it as an omen of a break in the solidarity of the Democratic party in this state. All speakers urged the negro men and women of the state to get registration certificates and be eligible to a vote in the general election.

## Wants More For Negroes

H. B. Rickard, delegate from Newberry, as chairman of a committee, introduced a resolution voicing dissatisfaction with the lack of "pap" thrown to the negro race by the party, and calling on the leaders to explain. After a short statement from Major Jones who gave an outline of the difficulties of removal and appointment to office under the civil service rules the resolution was quietly laid to rest by being referred to the executive committee for recommendation in their platform.

The Republicans advocated a generous and liberal foreign policy based upon a clear conception of the rights of a nation, reaffirmed its belief in a protective tariff, commended the executive budget, urged reasonable economy in governmental departments, endorsed relief measures for agriculture, opposed a "policy that operates for the destruction or confiscation of private property or the nationalization of industries," suggested that the judges seek a greater appreciation of the rights involved in industrial disputes, recommended a release of the natural resources of the nation and a speedy development of the rivers and bays of the country, advocated a further reduction of taxes without excessive penalties, welcomed the decrease in lynching, commended the leadership of President Harding and Joseph W. Tolbert, and gave hearty commendation to the "achievement" of the recent peace conference.

Sumter county was represented by the following delegates and alternates: Delegates, R. H. Richardson, Dr. C. W. Birnie and M. J. Frederick; alternates, A. G. Spears, J. M. DesChamps and C. P. Brogden.

## OPPOSITION FOR FULMER

Tolbert Republicans Plan to Name Candidate For Congress

Columbia, Sept. 21.—The seventh district Union Republican convention was held in Columbia yesterday afternoon, and it was decided to put a candidate in the field for Congress, to oppose Congressman Fulmer, in the general election. A committee was named to select the nominee, this committee consisting of R. H. Richardson, of Wedgefield; J. H. Goodwin, of Columbia; W. R. Fisher, of Bishopville; M. J. Frederick, of Sumter; S. J. Leapheart, of Lexington; Jacob Mosier, of Orangeburg; and N. J. Frederick, of Columbia.

J. H. Goodwin was elected chairman; the executive committee is composed of the following: J. L. Williams, of Columbia; W. R. Fisher, of Lee; Frank Lorick, of Lexington; R. W. Jenkins, of Richland; and E. M. Martin, of Sumter.

## TWELVE YEARS FOR ASHLEY

## Anderson Man Sent to Prison For Killing Policeman Hughes of Honea Path

Anderson, Sept. 18.—Ernest Ashley, who was found guilty of manslaughter by a jury Saturday night for the killing of Arthur Hughes, deputy sheriff and policeman of Honea Path, August 24, 1920, today at 3 o'clock was sentenced by Judge Mendel L. Smith to serve 12 years in the state penitentiary at hard labor.

Barron Grier, one of the attorneys for the defense, did not arrive until 3 o'clock, being tied up in the Underwood case in Greenwood this week. Mr. Grier arrived in time to make an appeal for leniency to Judge Smith and asked that the judge not give a more severe sentence than the resident judge did at the first trial. Judge Smith was firm in his stand and held that the facts in the case warranted a sentence of 12 years.

About a year and a half ago Ashley received the same verdict and was sentenced to 11 years in the penitentiary. Upon an appeal for leniency to Judge George E. Prince the sentence was changed to ten years. Ashley was released on bond pending an appeal to the supreme court, which granted him a new trial.

This has been a hard fought case. Ashley was represented by T. Frank Watkins, G. B. Greene and Claude A. Earle. Solicitor Harris was assisted by Gen. M. L. Bonham and Senator Proctor Bonham of Greenwood.

It was said that Judge Smith would impose sentence at 10 o'clock this morning and numbers of people filled the court room before this hour. Then it was found that the sentence would be pronounced at 3 o'clock. It was also thought that Judge Smith would sentence B. H. Holley, who was also convicted last Friday of manslaughter without recommendation to mercy, but this sentence has not been pronounced. Holley was convicted in the case of the killing of A. B. Evans at his home at Orr mill. Holley is also a deputy sheriff.

## YOUNG GIRL IS KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

## Miss Janette Towers, of St. Petersburg, Fla., Dead—Machine Turns Over

McCormick, Sept. 18.—Miss Janette Towers, 20 years of age, was instantly killed near Modoc, this county, at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon, when a touring car, driven by V. H. Wright, of 2124 Florida avenue, Tampa, Fla., overturned. Miss Towers, in company with her mother, Mrs. Dell Towers, and an older sister, Miss B. Towers, have been spending some time at No. 199 South French Broad avenue, Asheville, N. C., and had advertised for some one to accompany them on their return trip to St. Petersburg, Fla., who would furnish a car as they wanted to drive through in an automobile instead of by train.

## NEW JERSEY MURDER MYSTERY

## Pistol With Which Killing Was Done Found by Police

New Brunswick, N. J., Sept. 19.—Discovery of the pistol with which the Rev. Edward Wheeler Hall, pastor of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, and his young choir leader, Mrs. Eleanor Reinhardt Mills, were slain, brought the investigation of the mysterious double murder near a close tonight.

While officials refused to repeat predictions of an arrest within a given time, it was learned that the custodian of the Somerset county jail at Somerville, had been instructed to prepare for the receipt of at least one prisoner.

## DILLON FARMER FATALLY SHOT

## J. Oliver Hyatt Dies of Wounds in About Three Hours

Dillon, Sept. 18.—J. Oliver Hyatt, a white tenant on D. W. Bethen's place, was shot and killed yesterday afternoon on Joe Andrew's place, near McNichols bridge by Floyd Branch, it is alleged, another white tenant of that section. Hyatt was shot three times with a .32-caliber pistol. Branch, it is claimed, was shot one time by Hyatt, receiving a wound in the arm. The trouble, it is alleged, was due to jealousy over a woman. Hyatt lived only about three hours after the shooting, having had time to reach the hospital at Clifton. Branch came to Dillon and gave himself up to the sheriff and is now in jail. Hyatt was about 35 years old and leaves a widow and three children.

A horse and buggy belonging to Jim Furman, colored, was stolen Monday night from Levi's lot where Furman had left the horse hitched while he attended to business on the streets. The police were notified but no trace of the missing team had been found up to noon today.

## Unions Score in Injunction Fight

## More Than One-Third of the Evidence Ruled Out

Chicago, Sept. 18.—More than one-third—in volume of the government's evidence in its injunction suit against the striking railway shop crafts was ruled out today when Judge James H. Wilkerson upheld the contention of the defense that 283 affidavits recounting violence at the hands of supposed strikers failed to show persons making them. knew they were to be used in court.

At one swoop attorneys for B. M. Jewell and John Scott, strike leaders, thus disposed of a large part of the slightly less than 700 affidavits on which the government based its claim of an unlawful conspiracy to destroy interstate commerce.

Among the affidavits which the court announced he would not consider in arriving at a decision was one by J. P. Rooney, head of the Chicago bureau of investigation of the department of justice, to which Mr. Rooney had attached copies of strike bulletins issued from the headquarters of the railway employees' department, American Federation of Labor.

The defense objection to the 283 exhibits was based on the grounds that as the affidavits did not show the persons making them they knew they were to be used in court, was evidently they did not know they were subject to the laws governing perjury when they swore to the allegations.

Government attorneys tonight were considering having at least part of the exhibits re-sworn that they may be re-submitted. Blackburn Esterline, assistant solicitor general, obtained permission from the court to have the exhibit qualified if the government desires. Attorney General Daugherty is expected to reach Chicago tomorrow to take personal charge of the case again.

The defense victory followed two defeats for the strike leaders' attorneys earlier in the day. Donald R. Richberg, opening the defense case, again moved that the government's bill be dismissed, but the court overruled this motion. He then moved that all of the affidavits detailing acts of violence be stricken out, but was again overruled.

Renewing the attacks on the exhibits, one by one, the defense lawyer cited technical objections against them, the court overruled him on a dozen or more. Frank Mulholland, of Toledo, Mr. Richberg's assistant, produced one of the government's affidavits to which he objected because it failed to incorporate the necessary averment that the affiant knew it was to be used in court. Judge Wilkerson sustained the objection and announced he would not consider the exhibits when making his decision although allowing it to remain in the record.

"Here, ten," Mr. Mulholland said, producing a huge pile of papers "are 282 more to which we object for the same reason."

Mr. Esterline, Assistant Attorney General McLaughlin, Assistant Attorney General Crime and their associates entered protests, but the same ruling finally applied to the entire lot.

Mr. Richberg announced tonight that the attack on the government's evidence would continue tomorrow and probably Wednesday.

The temporary restraining order now in force against the strikers' terminals automatically Thursday, when the ten-day period for which it was extended expires.

## FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF SUMTER

## AT SUMTER IN THE STATE OF S. C.

At the Close of Business on September 15, 1922.

RESOURCES:

1. a. Loans and discounts, including redemptions, accounts of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	\$ 920,814.38	920,814.38
Total loans		920,814.38
2. Overdrafts, secured, \$1,210.35; unsecured, \$191.95		1,402.30
3. U. S. Government securities owned:		
a. Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	\$ 50,000.00	
b. All other United States Government Securities (including premiums, if any)	61,000.00	
Total		111,000.00
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.		28,330.12
6. Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		35,000.00
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		36,938.72
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		84,767.17
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 12)		7,854.57
Total of Items 4, 10, 11, 12, and 13		92,421.73
15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		2,500.00
Total		\$1,228,457.28

LIABILITIES:

17. Capital stock paid in	100,000.00
18. Surplus fund	150,000.00
19. Undivided profits	37,481.77
c. Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	6,588.73
20. Circulating notes outstanding	46,750.00
21. Amount due to Federal Reserve Bank (deferred credits)	5,701.76
24. Certified checks outstanding	5,787.28
25. Cashier's checks outstanding	
Total of Items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25	9,454.04
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
26. Individual deposits subject to check	226,370.89
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31	226,370.89
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):	
23. State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond	20,308.58
34. Other time deposits	642,820.70
35. Postal savings deposits	131.43
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 32, 33, 34, and 35	663,255.23
36. United States deposits (other than postal savings), including War Loan deposit account and deposits of United States disbursing officers	1,784.08
Total	\$1,228,457.28

State of South Carolina, County of Sumter, ss:

I, O. L. YATES, Cashier of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

O. L. YATES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of September, 1922.

DAVID DOAR, Jr., Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: NEILL O'DONNELL, H. D. BARNETT, GEO. F. EPPERSON, Directors.

(SEAL)

## HEAD OF ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

## Prof. Walter E. Rowe, of Baltimore, Succeeds Late Prof. Homes

Columbia, Sept. 18.—Prof. Walter E. Rowe, of Baltimore, one of the prominent engineers of the country, will assume the chair of engineering at the University this week, with the opening of the 1922-23 session, Wednesday of this week. Prof. Rowe succeeds the late M. Goode Homes, who was killed in a double tragedy by the gun of Marshal Ben Halle last spring.

The new professor of engineering is well known here. He was dean of the department in 1917-18. Prof. Rowe has been identified with some of the largest engineering projects and schools of engineering of the country.

The University students will arrive this week, Monday and Tuesday being devoted to enrollment. The largest student